At Least Twice Has Such an Honor Fallen to Peters-

JUSSERAND'S ADDRESS

French Ambassador Likena American Soldiers to Those of France.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

PETERSBURG, VA., May 19.—M.

Jusserand, the French Ambassador,

spoke as follows:

"Twice in the history of the oldest
of great republies, the place where we
now stand was the one where, in some
measure, were shaped the destinies of
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It was at Petersburg that, during the war of independence on the 18th of May, 1781, Cornwallis and Benedict Arnold aucceded in joining hands. It the despair of that American solder Major-General Lafayette, and it seemed that it was the end of all possible resistance in Virginia, but it turned out to be the very reverse. Answering the appeal of Lafayette, waysh hastened from the Pennsy ivanians, valorous mer particules ame State as those we are particules ame State as those we are particules ame State solder on the pursuing sermy of Cornwans seemen to the pursuing sermy of Cornwans seemen to which was to become famous forever, Yorktown in Virginia.

"And when struck the hour of the great internal struggle which was some ar rending the nation assunder, Petersburg became an even more important historical spot, when the sieges on record, one of the most fertile in heroical episodes, one where the issue remained longest doubtful, so well matched were opponents of the longest side seemen seemed to consider that faith in what they held their duty. To those opponents justice had been rendered to day in such cloquent words, and their each such seems and the cass leaded to the praises between precalled by an authoritative voice that nothing can be added to the praises between precalled by an authoritative voice that nothing can be added to the praises between precalled by an authoritative voice that nothing ones, the American solder that there is no better use for one's life that the product of t

sisk them to be so good as to pay a visit to West Point.

Soldlers of Two Countries.

"Such officers, such men. When I think of the soldlers of your nation, I cannot help thinking of the soldlers of mine. The main difference I find between the French and the American soldler is that the French is so much more numerous. We French all belongs to the army; I belonged to it for twenty-five years; if there had been a war, whatever my rank in other walks of life, I would have had to participate as a private of the second class, a paternal law saving me even the trouble of enlisting. Our conditions are different, and so we have to manage differently, but if we are all soldlers, Americans are, all of them, ready to become soldiers in time of need, as was seen, on both sides of Dixie's line, in '61. The military element, too, offers great resemblance in the two countries. Both the French and the American soldiers are remarkable for their are resemblance in the two countries. Both the French and the American soldiers are remarkable for their are or their inventiveness, their adaptability to unexpected circumstances; confronted by the unknown, they don't lose time in being staggered but quickly consider the problem and solve it. Left alone, and all their officers killed, they are no easy prey; they understand what to do and continue the fight. Both have a native good humor which helps them through their troubles and is the best medicine and cure for their wees. Both are tenacious and persistent fighters, as you showed in many occasions, by land and by sea, in the swamps of Florida and the dry descris of the West; as we showed in our saddest hours, when we continued to fight when no hope was left, except the hope of saving the great name of the

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Coleman Will Make Legislative Race on Platform of Board Abolishment.

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NORFOLK, VA., May 19.—The announcement of Attorney Daniel Coleman that he will make the race for the State Legislature, on a platform calling for the abolishment of the Beard of Control, as a useless and powerless body, created a mild sensation in political circles to-day. While it is admitted that his platform will be popular with a number of people, who oppose the Board of Control and look on it as the useless expenditure of \$12,000 annually by the city, the political leaders do not believe Mr. Coleman will win or that the

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SMITH' TO THE RESCUE

Lanky Pitcher Relieves Gravely in Eighth and Saves

Yellow Jackets Defeat Hampden-toward third base, and Hite hit a Hite reached first before Payne got the pall. Lancaster raced to third and peat the throw a fdot. Gillette hit a ong fly to right, and Lancaster acored on the sacrifice. With Cox at the bat, the Yellow Jackets tried the hit and the Yellow Jackets tried the hit and run game. Hite dashed toward the plate, but Cox failed to connect with the ball, and Payne threw to third. Hite chased up and down the third base line a minute or more, and then Waples dropped the ball, and Hite scored. Cox and Beville were easy outs, ending the inning.

The scoring of the two runs brought great joy to the hearts of the band of Randolph-Macon rooters, and they tried to pull the grandstand down.

Hampden-Sidney Lied up the score in the ending of the eighth, and this brought forth a demonstration from the Hampden-Sidney rooters. They waved hats, yelled, and some surged on the held, but Umpire Goldman stopped the game until they returned to the stand.

Hampden-Sidney Ties Score.

Payne opened the eighth, by looking at four wide ones, and Arbuckle laid down a bunt, Payne making third on the throw-out at first. Lacey then hit at a wild pitch over his head, and the ball fell back of third base, took a bad bound, and Lacey made second, Payne scoring. This was the first hit made on Gravely. Painter followed with a single to right, and Coach Rice Warrensent Smith in to finish the game, Gravely going to the bench. Bernier hit a roller to Giliette, who threw Lacey out at the plate, and Yeager was casy. Beville to Newman.

After Hite had lifted a high one to Lacey in the opening of the one on Cox's three-bagger to left field. Beville followed with his second single, and Cox Cox Rowman hit to Lacey, who there Beville followed with his second single, and Cox Cox Cox Cox Newman hit to Lacey, who threw Beville out at second, and Barrow ended the inning by fanning.

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